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Invention: Flame Retardant Molding Compositions Containing Group VIA Metal Oxides

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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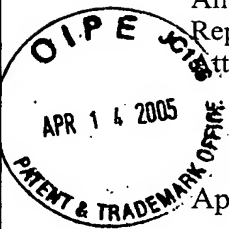
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 13, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks, along with a Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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